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## REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF DRAWING CHANGES

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Attention: Official Draftsman Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

The undersigned attorney respectfully requests approval of the following changes to the drawing figures in the above-referenced application:

Fig. 3, please change "TRNSMITTING" to --TRANSMITTING--; and please change "PROGURAM" to --PROGRAM--.

Fig. 4, please change "REGULER" to --REGULAR--; and please change "PATICULAR" to --PARTICULAR--.

## **REMARKS**

The foregoing changes are indicated in red ink on the accompanying photocopies and will be incorporated into the formal drawings after the allowance of the above-referenced application. Applicant notes that reference sign SV2 is shown in Fig. 5. Applicant has found no reference to M<sub>CN</sub> in the specification. If the Examiner points out the location of this reference sign in the specification, it will be added to the drawings. Applicant has amended Figs. 3 and 4 to cure the grammatical errors therein.

Entry of these changes to the drawings, and early and favorable consideration are respectfully requested.

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Sir.

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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No additional fee is required. The fee has been calculated as shown below. <u>X</u>

This is an application of a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9(f), and the amounts shown in parentheses apply.

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## Claims as Amended

<b>(1)</b>	(2) Claims remaining after amendment	(3)	(4) Highest number previously paid for	(5) Present extra	Rate	(7) Additional fee
Total claims	26	Minus	20 =	6×	\$18(9)	= \$108.00
Independent claims	4	Minus	3 =	1 ×	\$84(42)	= \$84.00
		Total additional fee for this amendment		-	\$192.00	

- If the entry in Column 2 is less than the entry in Column 4, write "0" in Column 5.
  - If the highest number of total claims previously paid for is less than 20, write "20" in this space.
- If the highest number of independent claims previously paid for is less than 3, write "3" in this space.
- This application contains a multiple dependent claim. The required fee of \$280 (\$140) has been previously paid \_ or is paid herewith \_\_.
- This response is being filed within the \_ first month, X second month, \_ third month, \_ fourth month following the expiration of the <u>X</u> term originally set therefor, and the fee of \$110 (\$55), X \$400(\$200), \$920(\$460), \$1,440(\$720) for the requisite extension paid herewith.
- Checks in the amounts of \$400.00 and \$192.00 are attached. X
- Charge \$\_ to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.
- Please charge any additional fees incurred by reason of this response or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0320. <u>X</u>

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